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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (37 CFR. § 1.53(b))
(Regular application claiming priority of a provisional)

Commissioner for Patents
Box Patent Application
Washington, DC 20231

Sir: This is a request for filing a patent application under 37 CFR. § 1.53(b) in the name of inventors:
Corey E. Nislow, Nolan H. Sigal, David G. Drubin and Cynthia L. Adams

For: **IMAGE ANALYSIS FOR PHENOTYPING SETS OF MUTANT CELLS**

Assigned to: Cytokinetics, Inc.

Priority of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/213,850 filed on June 23, 2000 is claimed under 35
U.S.C. § 119(e).

Application Elements:

- ☒ 28 Pages of Specification, Claims and Abstract
- ☒ 13 Sheets of formal Drawings
- ☒ 3 Pages Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney - Unexecuted
- ☐ Separate Declaration

Accompanying Application Parts:

- ☐ Do not publish this application. Nonpublication Request is attached.
- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (recording fee of \$40.00 enclosed)
- ☐ Separate Power of Attorney by Assignee
- ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449
 - ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard
- ☒ Other: Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)

Claim For Foreign Priority

☐ Priority of _____ Application No. _____ filed on _____
is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
☐ The certified copy is enclosed. ☐ The certified copy will follow.

☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

“This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____
filed on _____, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.”

Fee Calculation (37 CFR § 1.16)

☐ Applicant is entitled to Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

| | (Col. 1) Total Claims | | (Col. 2) Claims | (Col. 3) Present Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
|---|--------------------------|-------|--------------------|---------------------------|---------|----------------|
| TOTAL | | MINUS | 20 | = | x 18 = | |
| INDEP. | | MINUS | 3 | = | x 80 = | |
| [] First presentation of multiple dependent claim | | | | | \$270 = | |
| Basic Filing Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a) | | | | | \$710 = | 710.00 |
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| SMALL ENTITY 50% FILING FEE REDUCTION (if applicable) | | | | | | |

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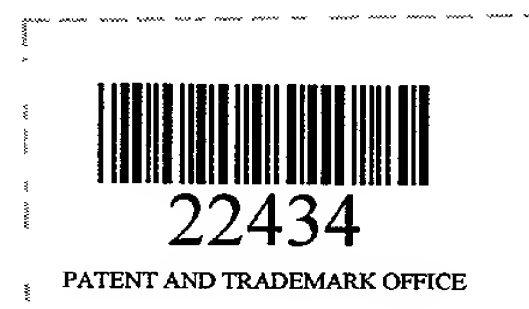
☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees beyond the amount enclosed which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. _____).

General Authorization for Petition for Extension of Time (37 CFR §1.136)

☒ Applicants hereby make and generally authorize any Petitions for Extensions of Time as may be needed for any subsequent filings. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fees under 37 CFR §1.17 as may be needed to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. CYTOP003).

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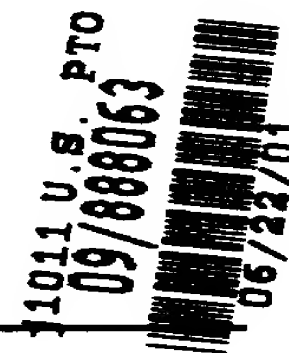
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Title: IMAGE ANALYSIS FOR PHENOTYPING
SETS OF MUTANT CELLS**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84 (a)(2)**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The Applicants respectfully petition under 37 C.F.R. section 1.84 (a)(2) for acceptance of a color drawing. Figure 4 in the current patent application should be accepted in color.


Because the invention pertains to image analysis, figures depicting images of the type employed in invention are submitted with this application. One of these figures, Figure 4, is a color image. Figure 4 shows how the invention may be used to simultaneously analyze three separate markers in an image of yeast cells. The markers separately highlight nuclei (blue), actin (red), and cell walls (green).

The color drawing is necessary because colored representation of different cell components/markers is the only effective method of illustrating the distribution of the cell components within yeast cells in an image. Further drawing illustrates a specifically claimed aspect of the invention. See claims 7, 8, and 9, for example.

Enclosed with the current petition is the requisite fee set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) and three copies of the color drawing, Figure 4. Also enclosed is a black and white photocopy that accurately depicts, to the extent possible, the subject matter shown in the color drawing. Finally, the Specification contains the required language, set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.84 (a)(2), in that portion of the Specification relating to the Brief Description of the Drawings.

In view of the foregoing, the Applicants respectfully request the acceptance of color drawing of Figure 4.

Respectfully submitted,
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